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Applicant is requesting reconsideration of a final refusal dated May 15, 2006.

The applicant's request for reconsideration is a good faith, although incomplete, attempt to comply with all outstanding requirements or refusals. TMEP §715.03(a). Accordingly, applicant's request for reconsideration is *granted*. The application will be amended to seek registration on the Supplemental Register. The response is incomplete because the Amendment to Allege Use contained specimens that were illegible. The copies submitted were simply too blurry to be read and examined.

The applicant has 30 days, or until the end of the six months from the final action, whichever is longer, to comply with the outstanding requirements or refusals. 37 C.F.R. §2.65(b). Granting the request for reconsideration does not extend the deadline for appeal. The time for appeal runs from the date the final action was mailed. 37 C.F.R. Section 2.64(b); TMEP Section 715.03(c).

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